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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the reference listed on the attached Form PTO-1449, which includes the reference cited in an Office Action mailed March 16, 2007 in corresponding Chinese Application No. 03805772.7. A copy of the Office Action, its English translation and cited reference is enclosed.

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It is respectfully requested that this information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that this reference be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

Respectfully Submitted,

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